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In re application of: Calvignac, et al.

Application No. : 09/771,472

Filed : January 26, 2001

For : SINGLE-CYCLE HARDWARE IMPLEMENTATION OF CRYPTO FUNCTION FOR HIGH
THROUGHPUT CRYPTO-PROCESSING

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Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116
 Expedited Procedure Requested
 Examining Group. 2134
 Attorney Docket No. P27325

Group Art Unit: 2134

Examiner: Ellen C. Tran

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116** in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
 A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
 A Request for Extension of Time.
 No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
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Total Claims: 8	20	0	x25=	\$	x 50=	\$0.00
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 21, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Applicants submit that no extensions of time are required because this response is being filed one or before the three-month shortened statutory date of July 21, 2005. If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to International Business Machines Corporation's deposit account no. 50-0563.